

# MATERIAL WILL CAUSE DISPUTE

Proposed Capitol Building May Cost Much More Than Was Originally Intended.

## NO TALK AS TO THE SITE HEARD

Measures Which Have Important Bearings Upon The State As A Whole Are Being Discussed

By Legislature.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]

Madison, Wis., Feb. 28.—The senate determined to settle on next Tuesday the question of whether the new capitol is to be built cheaply of plaster and limestone or more expensively of granite and marble, with the proper interior finishings. Better work would cost at least an additional million dollars. The bill was introduced today by the capitol committee and consideration set for Tuesday. The assembly killed the bill to appropriate \$25,000 for an exhibit at the Jamestown exposition in Virginia. Bursts of oratory came from Bancroft, Norcross, Thompson and Sprague, who opposed the appropriation because to exhibit at the Virginia show would stimulate a move of Wisconsin farmers to the old dead lands being boomed in Virginia by land agents and because the enterprises in our own state needed money most. The vote was 70 to 19.

Wisconsin's new capitol will cost about \$6,000,000. This guess is based on the bids received by the commission for superstructure stone and upon other facts known to Architect Post.

The building as planned will contain approximately 8,000,000 cubic feet, and the architect has informed the commission and joint committee of the legislature that the limit of 40 cents for the cost ought to be raised to at least 70 cents per cubic foot. This increase arises not so much out of any determination to be elaborate and extravagant as it does out of the added cost of materials and labor. In short, the building of the new capitol, Wisconsin will have to pay the price of national prosperity. At 70 cents a cubic foot, a building of 8,000,000 cubic feet would cost \$5,600,000, and it is conservative to estimate that before the work is completed with interior decorations or architectural furnishings, the cost will amount to \$4,000,000 more, bringing the total to \$9,600,000.

A bill was introduced in the senate this morning by Senator Whitehead for the committee on the capitol, making two important provisions, but saying nothing as to the possible raising of the limit of cost set by the last legislature at 40 cents per cubic foot. The bill provides:

That the capitol commission be empowered and instructed to include in plans for the new capitol a separate fireproof heating and power plant and warehouse to be situated about half a mile from the present park and to be connected with the main structure by means of a subterranean tunnel.

That the commission proceed with the work of letting contracts and construction with the determination that the superstructure of the building will be of marble or white granite.

While this bill does not mention any specific appropriation, does not contain any repealing clause affecting the limit of 40 cents a cubic foot it will mean, if enacted into law, that the state stands committed to a structure that will cost far in excess of the limit set by the last legislature. The architects have informed the commission that it would be possible to build a capitol on the plan as now designed, using granite or marble for the superstructure, and keep the cost within 40 cents a cubic foot. This is in the opinion of Architect Post a possibility, but the interior would have to be finished with cheap material, using plaster where marble ought to be, and otherwise cheapen the construction and make it out of harmony with the fine exterior. Nor would this sum provide for what architects term "furniture," not office desks, chairs and such articles as come from furniture stores, but "architectural furniture," which partakes more of the nature of ornamentation, including pillars, columns and other work of a decorative character. To complete the capitol within, in harmony with the determination of granite or marble exterior would require about 70 cents a cubic foot.

The Minnesota capitol cost \$3,450 cents a cubic foot. The contracts were let twelve years ago, just after a financial panic has swept the country, labor was plenty and ready to work for reasonable wages, supplies were cheap in comparison with present prices and contractors were being urged for business so that competition in the bidding was keen and Minnesota profited thereby. Prices have now more than doubled in many lines and nothing is now to be secured less than then. Labor is well paid and there is an abundance of work. Contractors have estimated for the commission that prices are now on an average of 40 per cent to 60 per cent higher than they were when Minnesota let contracts for a capitol. Another item in favor of the low cost of the Minnesota building was the fact that a Georgia quarry was just opened and its owners desiring to develop it and get a start in business made a price for the granite that amounted to fully \$500,000 less than the stone

## TERRIBLE STORM IS COMING THIS WAY

New Richmond Reported to be in  
Throes of Exceedingly Bad  
Blizzard.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

New Richmond, Wis., Feb. 28.—A terrific blizzard is raging this vicinity and railroad traffic is impeded and wires are down.

could have been secured from any other quarries. Not the best quality of granite was obtained, to be sure, but it answered the purpose and Minnesota saved \$500,000.

The commission according to a number of the members, has not yet discussed the proposal of adding to the capitol park, and will not do so until others who have interested themselves in that plan have made more progress. While there is no authentic information available on this point, it is said to mean that Senator Stout and others are not yet prepared to make their proposition with reference to extension of the capitol, and at present it is a proposition with which the commission and the joint capitol commission have nothing to do. While many people profess to view the scheme in the light of a beautiful dream, those most interested in it and who are in positions to know just "what's doing" are entirely content and declare the plan will be successfully consummated.

The senate yesterday afternoon received a communication from the National Board of Trade paying for legislation by all the states so as to make the pure food and drug laws uniform and in conformity with the federal laws on these subjects. The communication recites the lack of uniformity in state laws and recommends the subject for consideration as one offering great improvement. The resolution was adopted at the convention of the board held in Washington, D.C., in January.

A new bill came into the senate from the committee on judiciary, providing for the abolishment of the fee system of remunerating county judges and placing them on regularly stipulated salaries. The salaries will be governed according to the size of the county. This bill makes an even 500 that have been introduced in the senate.

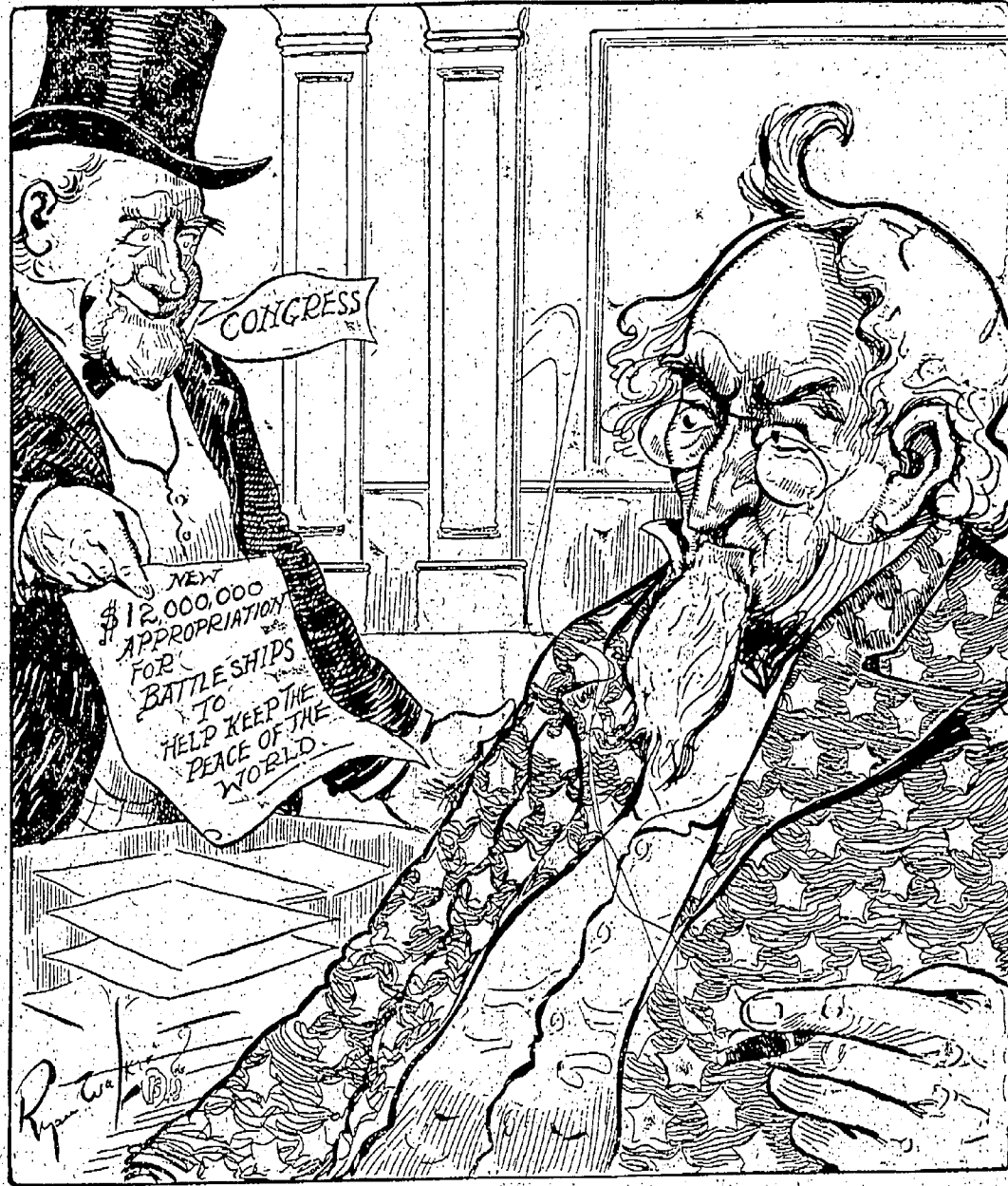
Senator Browne reported two petitions from his constituents, one in favor of appropriating not less than \$100,000 for Wisconsin monuments at Vicksburg, and one in favor of state aid for building highways.

The committee on villages and cities reported in favor of passage of the bills providing that in the administration of the fire and police pension funds in Milwaukee retirement or discharge after service of 22 years shall not disqualify for participation in the funds, and that additional beneficiaries shall be recognized.

The senate and assembly committees on banks and insurance held a joint hearing yesterday on the Cleary bill, 75A, to create the office and department of state fire marshal. The bill introduced by Assemblyman M. J. Cleary of Blanchardville. It provides for the creation of the office of state fire marshal, who shall have a number of assistants, and whose duty it shall be to investigate as to this cause of fires, particularly with reference to their origin with a view to bringing arsonists to justice and preventing fires. This department would cost perhaps \$15,000 a year, but the bill is so drawn that none of the cost would come out of the state treasury as it would be supplied from a tax of one-half of one per cent on the gross premiums collected by the companies writing fire insurance in Wisconsin. This tax would produce about \$30,000 a year, and the bill provides that when the fund so raised shall be sufficient at any time, the tax may be remitted.

The chief advocates of the department are the companies themselves, who would be chiefly benefited by more strict investigation of fires, prosecution of incendiaries and prevention of losses. Assemblyman Cleary explained his bill and arguments in favor of its enactment were made by H. W. Kemp of Oshkosh, a general insurance agent and adjuster of losses; Nathan Haessly of Theresa, president of the city and village mutual organization; R. L. Adams of Madison, also representing mutual fire underwriters; W. A. McEwan of Milton, representing the farmers' mutual, said he did not oppose the bill, but that the companies he represented would prefer being left out of the application of the law. It was shown in reply that his companies could hardly be properly left out of the tax for the maintenance of the proposed department and must share in its good results.

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Uncle Big Stick Samuel—I'll be jiggered! War may be costly, but it ain't half the expense of our present idea of peace.

## RYAN WILL DEFEND TITLE NEAR HOME

Hugo Kelly Will Make Attempt to  
Wrest Championship from  
Present Holder.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]

Rochester, N. Y., Feb. 28.—Eight followers, hereabouts are on the tip of expectation in anticipation of the bout between Tommy Ryan and Hugo Kelly, which is to be pulled off tonight in the arena of the Rochester Athletic club. It is the first time in a good many years that the sporting element has had an opportunity to greet Ryan, who is a native of this section, and they are expected to turn out in masses to see the holder of the middleweight title in action.

While Kelly is believed to be hardly the fighter to wrest the title from Ryan, he is a fast fighter and a hard slugger, and is counted upon to give the champion an interesting argument for at least six rounds, which is to be the limit of the fight. Eddie McBride of Buffalo has been selected to referee the contest.

## FEW ATTENDED THE THAW TRIAL TODAY

Court Room Not Half Full This Morning When Evans Examination  
Is Continued.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

New York, Feb. 28.—There were only fifty spectators in the court room when the proceedings of the Thaw trial began today and half of those had left by the time the luncheon recess was ordered. Jerome continued his cross-examination of Dr. Evans, one of the alienists for the defense. The entire morning was taken up with questions concerning the details of certain of Thaw's letters which had been admitted in evidence. Dr. Evans said the letters convinced him the writer was insane at the time of writing, "but not insane in the sense that he would always remain insane," the expert added. The long drawn out cross-examination of Dr. Evans precluded the possibility of the defense concluding its case this week.

## SIEBECKER'S SON IS MARRIED IT HASTE

Judge of the Supreme Court's Son  
Elopes with Cincinnati  
Girl.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]

Madison, Wis., Feb. 28.—Karl Siebecker, a son of Justice R. G. Siebecker of the Wisconsin supreme court, eloped to Freeport, Ill., with Julia Jackson of Cincinnati and was married Wednesday, contrary to the wishes of his parents. The girl came here two weeks ago to attend the junior promenade at the university and has been here since. Karl was a law student and destined by his father for a professional career, but has quit school and taken a job as a laborer in a factory.

Michigan Democrats Meet  
Flint, Mich., Feb. 28.—Michigan democrats assembled in state convention here today and were called to order shortly after 10 o'clock this morning by Chairman Winship of the state central committee. The work of the convention is to nominate candidates for justice of the supreme court and regents of the state university, to be voted for at the spring election.

## HEBREWS CELEBRATE SURVIVAL OF RACE

Anniversary of Day King Ahasuerus  
Rescinded Order of Killing  
of All Jews.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]

New York, Feb. 28.—Jews everywhere celebrate the Feast of Purim today. It marks the anniversary of King Ahasuerus' order rescinding the edict for the killing of the Jews and overthrowing the plans of Haman for the destruction of the race. Through the efforts of Esther, the King issued the order, and gave the Jews permission to defend themselves when attacked. The race was preserved by this order, and the people have celebrated it ever since, covering a period of 2,400 years. The celebration has not the religious sentiment which marks so many of the Jewish holidays. In ancient times the anniversary was celebrated by giving dances, especially masquerades, and this custom has been continued to a large extent by thousands of Jews. One of the prescribed customs is for the assembling of the family in the morning and evening, when the Book of Esther is read and there is a general exchange of presents. It generally is made the merriest of the Jewish holidays, marking, as it does, the preservation of the Jews.

## KELLY COAL COMPANY COST FOUR MILLION

Concern John R. Walsh is Interested  
in Selling Its Holding For  
Large Sum.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

Danville, Ill., Feb. 28.—The Kelly Coal company was sold today to R. O. Hammond, J. K. Dering and Hugh Shirkie. It is stated the consideration was four million dollars. The property was owned equally by John R. Walsh of Chicago, and the Illinois Traction system interests.

## AGED WOMAN HURT BY A CRAZY GIRL

Was Pushed From the Sidewalk and  
Fell Breaking Her Arm and Other-  
wise Receiving Injuries.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]

Milwaukee, Wis., Feb. 28.—Mrs. Bertha Rapps, an aged woman, was pushed off the sidewalk and her arm broken and seriously hurt last night. Young Mrs. Caroline Brodel was arrested this morning. She shouted in court that she was innocent until the judge decided on the insanity test. Mrs. Brodel was heard to say she "would push every one in her way into the gutters," and was seen to assault Mrs. Rapps who may die.

## GENERAL CONFLICT IS A POSSIBILITY

All Central America is Liable to Enter  
into a General Conflict.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

Panama, Feb. 28.—From advices received here the indications are there will be a general conflict throughout Central America unless friendly intervention of the United States and Mexico proves effective.

## MGR. KENNEDY IS TO VISIT PARENTS

Rector of American College at Rome  
to Attend Golden Wedding of  
Father and Mother.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]

Philadelphia, Pa., Feb. 28.—Monsignor Kennedy, rector of the American College at Rome and, according to recent rumor, a probable member of the College of Cardinals at no distant date, is expected to arrive in Philadelphia tomorrow. It will be his first visit to America in several years. The chief purpose of his coming at this time is to attend the golden wedding celebration of his parents, who reside at Conshohocken. Among the gifts which Mr. Kennedy brings to his aged father and mother is the special blessing of Pope Pius X.

## ORLEANS WILL HAVE HANGING TOMORROW

Man Convicted of Slaying Friend on  
Latter's Refusal to Buy "An-  
other Drink."

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]

New Orleans, La., Feb. 28.—Unless there is unexpected interference on the part of the governor or the courts, New Orleans will have a legal hanging tomorrow. The condemned man is James Ray Hogan and the crime for which he is to pay the death penalty has been considered one of the most atrocious on record in this city. His victim was Christopher Brighten, a stove-cutter. According to Hogan's confession he and Brighten were drinking the day of the murder, Nov. 15, 1905, and the killing resulted from Brighten's refusal to buy another drink. Hogan was found next morning, his clothes covered with blood. He was placed on trial April 23, 1905, and was sentenced to be hanged last June, but was granted a respite. In November the supreme court denied his application for a new trial. He then sought to be declared insane, but a commission appointed by the court declared he was of sound mind. A plea for a commutation of sentence was equally futile and a month ago Governor Blanchard fixed upon tomorrow as the date of execution.

Arrange for Oratory Contest  
Waco, Texas, Feb. 28.—Representatives of the various colleges and universities comprising the Texas State Oratorical association met in conference here today to complete arrangements for the annual contest of the association, to be held here in April.

Frank E. Burkhalter of Baylor university presided over the meeting and delegates were in attendance from the University of Texas, Austin college, Fort Worth university, Trinity university, Southwestern university and Texas Christian university.

At the County Jail: The Salvation Army had services at the county jail at eleven o'clock this morning. Chief Scheibel of Beloit brought Frank Schran, a local youth, to the bastille this afternoon. The latter is sentenced to a ten days' term for drunkenness.

Cattle Were Ill-Fed: Complaint having been made to the authorities that the cattle on the farm of Mrs. Rose Brown near Hanover were being insufficiently fed, Sheriff Fisher brought her to the city yesterday. Today President Wilson Lane went to the scene to dispose of some of the cattle and balance.

## ALLEGED MATRICIDE IS ENDORSED BY SENTIMENT

Public Wants Acquittal Of Woman Charged  
With Killing Mother For Supposedly  
Humanitarian Reasons

New York, Feb. 28.—Were old Mrs. Binge's days of torturing invalidism shortened by poison administered by a sympathetic hand—an act of mercy that the patient daily begged for—daughter, doctor and friend?

This is the question that has fastened suspicion on Mrs. Binge's lovingly devoted daughter, Mrs. Lottie Wallau, and placed before her the prospect of a trial for murder. Her theory, involving the oft-discussed question of euthanasia, appears to be the only motive for the alleged crime that can be advanced. While the dead woman possessed wealth estimated at several million dollars the authorities admit that mercenary motives for murder are lacking.

The peculiar circumstances and facts surrounding the case promise to make it one of the most celebrated with which the courts of New York have had to deal in a long time. While it lacks the sensational features to rivet the attention of the public at large, the developments up to the present time would indicate that it contains elements that will be closely watched by the legal and medical professions throughout the country.

A Woman of Wealth.

The Wallau and Binge families are related to several of New York's well-known families. Julius Binge, the husband of Mrs. Binge, died about six years ago. He was a broker in the New York Customs House, as well as a lawyer. He was an expert on customs duties and filed many claims for overcharges. It is said that these overcharges amounted to nearly \$4,000,000, and that he received \$1,000,000 for his services. His chief case was on the importation of hat bands. The government held that they were manufactured articles, while Mr. Binge successfully maintained that they be admitted as ribbons, upon which a much lower duty was collectable.

Mrs. Lottie Wallau, daughter of the dead woman, is the wife of Leopold Wallau, a well-known importer of bronze. The family, including Mrs. Binge and the 20-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Wallau, lived in a handsome home at 63 East Eighty-sixth street.

Mrs. Binge died on Feb. 6, three weeks after she had undergone an operation for cancer. Suspicion fell upon Mrs. Wallau and following the receipt of an analysis of the contents of the dead woman's stomach, Coroner Acritelli directed her arrest. On Feb. 17 Mrs. Wallau was arraigned before the Coroner, charged with murder in the first degree in having caused the death of her mother by the use of poison. Chemists who had examined the kidney and liver of Mrs. Binge reported that they had found considerable quantities of bichloride of mercury present. Mrs. Wallau was consequently held without bail to await the result of the inquest, which was held on Wednesday of last week. At the inquest Miss Devino, a trained nurse who first called the District Attorney's attention to the case, testified that she had suspected poison and that she had found some poisonous tablets secreted under papers in the patient's room. Other testimony tended to show that the poison might have been administered to Mrs. Binge in champagne.

The Unique Theory.  
The theory of euthanasia is the only motive so far advanced in connection with the alleged crime. It was only a few months ago that a prominent philanthropist advocated the passage of a law giving people authority to cut short the life of a person who was suffering from a painful and mortal disease or injury. From a humanitarian standpoint, the proposition was generally endorsed. Almost the sole objection to it was raised on the ground that it would be abused and a jury of medical experts would have to be summoned in each case.

Did Mrs. Wallau, who was always spoken of as a loving and devoted daughter, resort to euthanasia to end the misery of her mother, who hourly prayed for death? Experts say that if ever there was a case where euthanasia was justified it was Mrs. Binge's. A cancerous growth was literally eating through her vital system. And, further than this, several of New York's ablest physicians, including Dr. Abraham Jacoby and Dr. William T. Bull, and passed upon the case, and had declared that it was only a matter of days before the patient would die.

If the gatherings of lawyers and physicians, witnesses and jurors, who have attended the preliminary hearings are any criterion of New York's sentiment, public sympathy is almost entirely with Mrs. Wallau. If the prisoner shortened her mother's days of frightful pain, public opinion seems already to have exonerated her, and in a great many individual instances, goes so far as to actually justify her.

Finishes Hearing All the Witnesses  
Presented to it For Ex-  
amination Today.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

New York, Feb. 28.—When the interstate commerce commission resumed the investigation of the Harriman lines today, Charles W. Hillard, controller of the Alton, explained the cut-off from the point near Murrayville to Springfield, which he yesterday testified had been mortgaged before it was built with the one the Alton had a right to build. The proceedings were not unusual. The enterprise and methods of the mortgaging were legitimate.

After the examination of Hillard the inquiry concluded, there being no more witnesses and the hearing adjourned without date.

## KILLS WITNESS AND ALL HER FRIENDS

Wealthy Illinois Farmer Shoots and  
Kills Family, Also Complaining  
Witness.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

Bloomington, Ill., Feb. 28.—Thomas Baldwin, aged 68, a wealthy farmer of Colfax, shot and killed Charles Kennedy and wife, and Mrs. Sim Eisman and Cora Eisman, aged 14. Baldwin was under a bond charged with criminal assault on the girl, Cora, and blamed the Kennedys and Mrs. Eisman for the prosecution.

## ATTENDED SESSIONS OF THE THAW TRIAL

Geo. D. Simpson and Ex-Alderman  
Gilkey Returned From New  
York Last Night.

Geo. D. Simpson returned from New York last night having been east for the past ten days. Last Thursday he and Herbert Gilkey of Minneapolis attended the session of the Thaw trial and again on Monday they were fortunate enough to secure admission. Mr. Simpson says the general sympathy is with Mrs. Thaw and that the manner in which she answered the questions of District Attorney Jerome without hesitation was wonderful. For months he has been preparing these and she answered them immediately they were asked. Mr. Simpson says the police believe Thaw will be convicted while general opinion is that Jerome is getting the worst of it. Mr. Gilkey went on to Minneapolis last night.

Crow Bounties: Charley Post received bounties for 76 crows. John Powell for 23, and Harry Wright for 95, at the courthouse today. The three nimrods all reside in the town of Magnolia.

## WOMAN BURNS WHILE FAMILY WAS AWAY

Family Came Home to Find Her Dead  
and Their Outcries Almost  
Caused a Panic.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]

Milwaukee, Wis., Feb. 28.—Mrs. Esther Skolnik poured oil into her kitchen stove this morning and was burned to death while the family attended a synagogue. Almost a riot resulted at their home because of the loud cries when they returned and found the tragedy.

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consin, County of Rock. In Probate.

Notice is hereby given that at a regular term  
of the county court, to be held in and for said  
county, at the court house in the city of Janesville,  
on the first Tuesday of September, A. D. 1907, being Sep. 3rd, 1907,  
at nine o'clock a. m., the following mat-  
ters will be heard, considered and adjusted:

All claims against Francis J. Roddy, late of  
the city of Beloit, in said county, deceased.

All claims must be presented for allowance  
to said court of the county, in the city of  
Janesville, in said county, on or before the  
20th day of August, A. D. 1907, or be barred.

Dated February 28, 1907.  
By the Court,  
GEO. H. SALLS,  
Register in Probate.

**THE JANESVILLE MARKETS.**

Quotations on Grain and Produce for  
The Gazette.

Feb. 28, 1907.

BARLEY—\$1.00 to \$1.10 per ton.

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FREE LEAF BILL  
CAUSES TROUBLE

IS STILL IN SENATE COMMITTEE  
ROOM.

WILL NOT BE PRESENTED

Aldrich Reports Bill Will be Presented  
With an Adverse Report  
if so Desired.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]

Washington, D. C., February 28.—  
Senator Aldrich notified those in fa-  
vor of the free leaf tobacco bill at the  
hearing on Monday of this week that  
there was no chance of the bill being  
acted on favorably by the senate at  
this session. He said he had informed  
Senator McCrory of Kentucky,  
who is actively pushing the bill that  
he could have his choice of having  
the bill reported from the finance  
committee with an unfavorable rec-  
ommendation or allowing the matter  
to stand as it is. Senator McCrory  
has not yet made up his mind which  
he will take. In view of this state-  
ment which is conclusive, it seems a  
waste of time to have additional hear-  
ings, but as the parties behind the bill  
seem to want them it is probable  
more hearings will be given. Thurs-  
day the representatives of the cigar  
leaf association will appear and prob-  
ably on Monday next additional Ken-  
tucky farmers.

By far the most interesting feature  
of the hearing on Monday was the  
monkey and parrot time which those  
present had at the conclusion of the  
hearing proper. Seeing the stenog-  
rapher busily engaged in trying to keep  
track of the hot exchange, Senator Al-  
drich notified him to omit it all from  
the record. The dark tobacco men  
were there in considerable force. The  
unfavorable comments on their ab-  
sence brought them out. Among  
those present were Senators McCrory  
and Carmack, the latter of Tennessee,  
and Representatives James and Stan-  
ley. Senator Daniel of Virginia, is a  
member of the subcommittee of the  
finance committee. There were also  
a number of independent tobacco  
manufacturers present and of course  
the representatives of the down trod-  
den farmer. When the session closed  
Joel B. Ford of Adams, Tennessee,  
was on the stand. He wanted to know  
when the committee was going to act  
on the bill. He accompanied his in-  
quiry with considerable verbiage about  
how the farmers had their eyes on  
the committee and would not take  
them off until it acted. Senator Al-  
drich explained that there were a num-  
ber of men to be heard and enumer-  
ated several associations of manu-  
facturers, the cigar leaf people and the  
cigar manufacturers. "I offer you my  
sincere sympathy," said Ford, sarca-  
stically, "if you are not an old man  
who would like to have this bill con-  
sidered and disposed of by the senate  
before I die, as I have considerable  
curiosity to know what is going to be  
done with it." The bill was then un-  
der way and Senator Aldrich said he  
wanted to go into the workings of  
the American Society of Equity.  
He suggested they could be heard in  
a week or ten days. "Delay now  
means the bill is dead," said Senator  
Daniel, to which Aldrich replied that  
the committee had a number of out-  
standing promises and they should be  
fulfilled. About this time an inde-  
pendent manufacturer jumped to his  
feet and said there was a man in town  
who could tell all about the American  
Society of Equity. He said Clarence  
Le Bus of Cincinnati Tobacco Growers'  
association had come to Washington  
at the request of those interested in  
the bill and when he reached here it

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was found he was opposed to the bill  
and therefore had not put him on the  
stand. This was indignantly denied  
by the members of the dark tobacco  
association who claimed Le Bus favored  
the bill, at least in part. Senator  
Aldrich asked Senator McCrory to try  
to have the president of the society in  
attendance on Monday next. McCrory  
said he had written to one of the mem-  
bers of the organization and said he  
would tell Senator Aldrich what he re-  
plied if he wanted it. "Tell it," said  
Aldrich and McCrory said the man  
wrote that he thought Senator Aldrich  
knew all about the workings of the so-  
ciety and was well informed on it and  
it was no wise to come on to tell him  
about it, indicating that Senator Al-  
drich was acting in bad faith. Sen-  
ator Daniel said it would be difficult to  
get the bill before the senate. "No  
difficulty at all," said Aldrich, meaning  
that there would be no trouble in  
getting the bill before the senate with  
an adverse report. Representative  
Stanley was very much put out be-  
cause of the delay and accused Aldrich  
of the position of bad faith. He said  
that the matter had been before the  
ways and means committee of the  
house and seriously considered and  
no one had ever appeared before the  
committee in opposition. Now they  
came to the senate and at the last mo-  
ment wanted to delay the bill until it  
would be too late to have it consid-  
ered. "Why had they not appeared be-  
fore the house committee," he asked.  
"I will answer," called out H. D. Mil-  
ler, president of the Independents,  
jumping to his feet. "It was because  
the manufacturers considered this  
such a ridiculous measure that they did  
not think it could even pass the  
house." This caused James and Stan-  
ley to break out and James intimated  
that the opposition did not represent  
very many people. "We represent  
more people interested in this  
bill than there are people in the dis-  
tricts where this dark tobacco is  
raised," said President Miller. "Then  
you must represent a whole lot," re-  
plied James, "for we represent three  
million." "Only three million?" in-  
terjected Senator Aldrich, with gentle  
sarcasm. "I thought you gentlemen  
represented eighty million people,"  
Representative Stanley put in that  
people came down to appear before  
the committee as independents, who  
were probably connected with the  
trusts. "If you should sit the stock  
of some of these independent com-  
panies, you would find it was held by  
our oppressors," he said. This brought  
a chorus of indignant protests from  
the opponents of the bill. "How  
about the cigar trade?" called out Mr.  
Crouse. "Name any one who appear-  
ed here as an independent who is  
connected with the trust?" shouted  
the independents. "Landstreet, Land-  
street," cried Stanley and James. "He  
has not appeared this time," replied  
the independents in unison.

"I can say to you gentlemen frank-  
ly that I do not think it possible for  
this bill to be acted on favorably at  
this session," said Senator Aldrich  
who also stated it was not proper for  
Representative Stanley to question the  
good faith of witnesses before the  
committee. The committee had asked  
each witness whether he was con-  
nected with the trust and they had all  
replied in the negative.

The committee considering the bill,  
rather the subcommittee, consisted  
of Senators Aldrich, Burrows and Dan-  
iel. The first witness was Charles H.  
Ford, president of the Dark Tobacco  
Growers' Protective association, who  
said he thought there was a combina-  
tion between the American Tobacco  
Co., the British company, the Ameri-  
can Snuff Company, and the buyers for  
the Italian regime. If the growers did  
not take the first price offered the  
text price was lower. He argued  
that the passage of the bill would give  
the growers liberty of action and an  
outlet for part of their crop. "This  
tax is a handicap on the farmer," he  
said. Senator Aldrich closely ques-  
tioned him as to the purposes of the  
association, to which he replied that  
they had not to restrict acreage. He  
promised to supply the committee  
with a copy of the charter, by-laws  
and the pledge of individual members  
of the organization took. The main  
object of the association was to ad-  
vance the cost of production, "so we  
can get an honest living." In response  
to a question by Mr. Aldrich the wit-  
ness said the organization undertook  
to fix the price at which tobacco was  
to be sold. Continuing he said at  
least fifty or seventy-five per cent  
of the dark tobacco was controlled by  
the association and that eighty per cent  
of the entire dark crop went abroad.

"Then only twenty per cent of the  
crop is affected by the tax," said Sen-  
ator Aldrich. Senator Aldrich also  
wanted to know if the grand jury  
which investigated the alleged tobacco  
trust in the dark tobacco regions had  
looked into the organization of which  
witness was the head, and the reply  
was in the negative.

John B. Allen of Guthrie, Ky., de-  
clared that the combination of tobacco  
companies destroyed competition  
and divided the territory. Senator  
Aldrich asked him to furnish evidence  
as to this, but the witness made no  
reply. Continuing Mr. Allen argued  
that the product of the farmers  
should not be taxed. In reply to ques-  
tions from Senator Aldrich, witness  
said the purpose of the organization  
was to fix the price, but that was not  
the sole aim.

The last witness was Joel B. Ford  
of Adams, Tennessee, an attorney of the  
dark tobacco association, who argued  
that the bill was in the interest of  
the general public as it would be the  
means of giving them pure tobacco as  
well as help the farmers who produced  
it. The bill would give them a  
market for millions of pounds which  
would be sold to the stores. He es-  
timated that fifty million pounds could  
be disposed of in this manner.

**CANDIDATES FILING  
NOMINATION PAPERS**

Edward Connell Seeks Re-nomination

—Stanley D. Tallman wants

Office of Justice.

Alderman Edward H. Connell seeks

re-nomination as the democratic can-

didate for alderman from the second

ward and has filed his papers with

the city clerk. Stanley D. Tallman

has posted his entry as candidate for

the republican nomination for justice

of the peace to fill the vacancy caus-

ed by the resignation of Jesse Earle.

HOLD REUNION AT  
COUNTY FARM TODAY

Old Employees are bidding farewell  
to Mr. and Mrs. James McGowan  
Who Have Resigned Positions.

Mr. and Mrs. James McGowan who  
have been in the employ of the county  
for the past seventeen years and who  
have been overseer and matron of the  
county house for the past seven  
years, are to give up their posts today  
and will depart next week for Oconto  
county where they have purchased a  
fine farm. Friends numbering fifty  
and including many former employes  
of the institution, gathered there  
this forenoon for a farewell company  
and dinner arranged in their honor by  
Sept. and Mrs. Kimble Killam. In-  
cluded in the number of guests at the  
reunion were Mrs. Lottie John-  
sen of Wauwatosa, Mrs. Fred Win-  
ston of Evansville, Mrs. Grace Meph-  
am of Reedsburg, and a large delega-  
tion from Milton and Milton Junction. Mr.  
and Mrs. McGowan are to be suc-  
ceeded by Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Callis-  
on who have been employed on the  
county farm for a number of years.

## LINK AND FIN.

St. Paul Road.

Fireman Russell Prince is on

switchenging number 1072 days.

Engineer Roy Mead and Fireman

McAuliffe took locomotive 1260 from

Mineral Point to Madison yesterday

for service out of the Capital city.

Charles Maunum has begun work

on the day force at the roundhouse.

Brakeman Robert Brown went to

Madison this morning to work on the

west end of the Pacific du Chien di-

vision.

John Higgins is firing switchenging

number 1069.

Engineer Wilkinson and Fireman

Hillmeyer were on train number 91

today.

J. W. Collins has been added to the

night round house force.

Engineer Casey and Fireman Goeb-

el are on runs 194.

Locomotive 1353 is in the house for

repairs.

Fireman Fred Whalen is on the

sick list.

Engineer Daves and Fireman Jeli-

man went south today on train num-

ber 173.

Conductor Ed. Pradeaux is serious-

ly ill at his home in Mineral Point.

Fireman John Cornelius is on run

65 with Engineer Falter.

Northwestern Road.

The bridge and building gang now

located in Janesville at present en-

gaged in constructing a new shanty for

the five points switch tender. The

dimensions are 10x12, being two feet

larger each way than the old build-

ing recently destroyed by fire.

Fireman J. Heagney is laying off

and his place on the south end way

freight is being taken by Fireman

Peterson.

Operator Kramer is relieving Rollo

Stone at the passenger depot days,  
the latter being off duty on account  
of his father's serious illness.

Locomotive number 292 went out

on train 590 this morning in place of

the 1343.

Engineer Bartel and Fireman

Conn headed out to Harvard on

train 534 this morning.

Dislike Dark-Colored Objects.

Bees are said to have such an an-

tipathy to dark-colored objects, that

black chickens have been stung to

death, while white ones of the same

brood were left untouched.

**GENERAL NOTICE.**

Lodge notices, church notices and

announcements of meetings of so-

cieties will be published in the Gazette

if written out and left at the office.

It is almost impossible to take such

notices over the telephone correctly

and the rule of having them written

out and left in the business office must

be adhered to. There is no charge

for such notices. Communications to

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WISCONSIN WEATHER FORECAST  
Rain or snow tonight; colder in western portion; Friday snow and colder.

## TREASURY RESERVE.

It is worthy of note that Senator Aldrich rejects the amendment of the bill, Senator Nelson's. This amendment included provisions that the government money deposited in the banks shall be at all times subject to the draft and the withdrawal of the secretary of the treasury, and that the secretary of the treasury shall not allow the public money in the treasury to accumulate over a safe and reasonable working balance says the Wall Street Journal.

It would seem as if Senator Aldrich might have accepted the provision that the public money should be subject to the draft of the secretary, but the rejection of a provision that the secretary should not be allowed to accumulate in the treasury any more money than would amount to a reasonable working balance is, under existing conditions, wise. There are two apparently inconsistent and yet not inconsistent principles involved. First, the money of the people paid to the government to carry on its operations should be kept as far as possible in the channels of business so that its withdrawal shall not be a burden to trade. Second, it is under the financial system which prevails in this country proper and wise that the secretary should keep in the treasury, not only a reasonable working balance, but a reasonable sum in addition thereto to serve as a second line of reserve against the banking credits of the United States. A reasonable working balance is \$50,000,000. Probably a reasonable reserve in addition thereto would be also \$50,000,000. Secretary Shaw in his last annual report declared that if the secretary were given \$100,000,000 to be deposited with the banks or withdrawn as he might deem expedient no panic could threaten either the United States or Europe that he could not avert.

The proposition to permit the deposit of customs receipts in the banks, the same as internal revenue receipts, is intended to keep the money of the people as far as practicable in the banks where it will serve the function of benefiting the business of the country. At the same time this ought not to prevent the secretary from keeping a reasonable reserve in the treasury vaults not only as a working balance, but also as a second reserve. If the money is all deposited in the banks and kept there, there will be nowhere any extra reserve upon which to draw in case of a financial stringency.

## A DRAWN BATTLE

So far as it has gone, the Harriman investigation may be described as a drawn battle. The struggle has been terrific and the mortality heavy, but the result, so far, is neither victory nor defeat.

Mr. Harriman has saved himself from a complete collapse, such as his enemies hoped for, but on the other hand he has not entirely escaped from criticism or even condemnation for some of his acts. By his sensational allegations against Stuyvesant Fish, he has put the controversy as to the presidency of the Illinois Central in a totally different light from that in which it has appeared before. As it stands now, and until his charges are refuted, it is he and not Mr. Fish who is entitled to public support.

But the Fish controversy does not change the question of the Union Pacific purchase of Illinois Central. Moreover, Mr. Harriman in dragging, or attempting to drag Mr. Fish from his pedestal of reputation, does not alter in the least his own position as a dual personality in corporation control—a joint purchaser and seller of stocks.

Mr. Harriman's refusal to answer, by advice of counsel, questions as to the sale of his own securities to the corporation of which he is president, is the one development of the investigation which works him most harm so far as international opinion is concerned.

## CITY OFFICERS

At the coming spring election a mayor, city clerk, six aldermen, two justices, five supervisors and school commissioners are to be elected. At the present time there appears to be a profusion of candidates for all the offices. While the democrats have thus far no candidates in the field for the Mayoralty it is reported that at least one will appear at the last moment so that it will not be a walkaway for the republican party. In the republican list two names appear as avowed candidates for this office. For city clerk the republican is also the only party thus far represented with two candidates again. Thus far but one candidate for alderman has appeared in the first ward and he is on the republican ticket. In the second two democrats are in line, and one republican; in the third one for the

short term and three for the two-year term, all republicans; in the fourth but one, a democrat, and the same is true in the fifth. This leaves the republicans without any candidates in the fourth and fifth, and the democrats without any in the first and third. The time for filing nomination papers, however, does not close until Monday and there is yet time for many others to appear in the field. Under the primary law two tickets are given each voter—a republican and a democratic one. One is marked and voted and the other is returned to the primary officers, who place it in the dead box. In other words, there is no splitting of tickets. The voter must cast a republican or democratic ticket; there is no splitting. This will make a decided difference in some of the chances of republican candidates who had hoped to draw democratic votes who no contest was on.

The North-Western road announces that it will sell five-hundred-mile books for ten dollars flat. Evidently this road means to try and comply with all the suggestions of the recent decision of the rate commission.

One of the campaign slogans which would meet popular approval is the complete inspection and renovating of the schoolhouses. This appeals to every parent.

Stevens' resignation from the Panama Canal work is taken with a smile. The resignation of canal officials is so frequent that no one pays any attention to them now.

There is still an opportunity for charitable citizens to appear before the public in the role of saviors of the public welfare by becoming candidate for office.

That was a good plan of Roosevelt to have the chief engineer of the Panama canal selected from the army. He will either have to stick or be court martialed.

There are some school commissioners to be nominated and elected this spring, but thus far but one has offered themselves on the altar.

Speaker Cannon's boom for president is being rolled flat by the ship subsidy bill which he is trying to push up the hill of opposition.

It is a question whether the taxpayers of Wisconsin care very much for the passage of that ship subsidy bill.

Secretary Shaw as president of a Trust company appears to have dropped out of sight as a real presidential candidate.

Evidently General Stoessel is still to be the subject of discussion as to who lost the Japanese War for Russia.

Evelyn Thaw's diary shows little else than schoolgirl slang and a longing for life on the Rialto again.

Chicago's subtreasury is still subject of suspicion. Money does not disappear as easily as all that.

It's up to Roosevelt to come out now and deny he will accept the presidential nomination again.

Maybe Mrs. Fish wishes she had introduced those lovely Harriman girls into society now.

The arm canteen law is one which congress might do well to rush towards a repeal.

Harriman can hardly hope to clear himself by giving his friend Fish a mud bath.

Chicago is still wide open, even though Dunne has again been nominated.

Heroes seeking political oblivion might come out for some office this spring.

Janesville elects two justices of the Peace this spring. Do not forget that.

## PRESS COMMENT.

Bookkeeper or Thief?  
Chicago Tribune: Mr. Boldenweck thinks the crime of 1907 has been already committed.

Oshkoshian Suggestion.  
Oshkosh Northwestern: Almost time for some theatrical manager to advertise a velvet swing among the scenery, isn't it?

Cannot Blink at That.  
Chicago News: Even that grand old easy mark Uncle Sam sits up and takes notice when one of his employees picks \$173,000 out of the till all in one day.

Just About.  
Exchange: The exonerated Senator Bailey by the Texas legislature is about as convincing as was J. Ogden Armour's vindication of the beef trust.

Real Issues Clear Enough.  
La Crosse Tribune: The records of expert testimony in the Thaw case are marvels of lucidity compared with the complex intricacies of the Mexican Plantation litigation.

Prof. Matteucci's Dire Prophecy.  
Chicago Record-Herald: One of the professors announces that the earth is soon to be bumped by a comet. There is no likelihood, however, that it will serve to unsettle Chauncey M. Depew.

Boosting the Free Ad Game.  
Green Bay Gazette: A Milwaukee paper is in quest of the picture of the handsome young lady in Wisconsin. It's easy to see where Sheboygan doesn't get in on any prize winners.

'Tis Orphaned Again.  
Chicago Tribune: The Panama canal is an orphan again. Chief Engineer Stevens has resigned. The pre-

sumption is that he could not maintain amicable relations with the board of strategy at Washington.

Quietus on Peculiar Mania.  
Sheboygan Journal: You cannot send postal cards through the mails with particles of glass, mica, old shoes or old iron attached, according to the ruling of Milwaukee's postmaster.

Leaked Out, HOWEVER.  
Evening Wisconsin: It will cost approximately \$2,000,000. The plan has been discussed for some time but at the request of those behind it no publicity was given it until released. The secret leaked out, however, before the time for official publication.

An Episode Almost Forgotten.  
El Paso Herald: All that was the matter with the Laramont was that she was put together with brown paper and paste, or something equivalent; she had no water proof compartments; her supply of boats was inadequate and she was manned by a low class crew. Otherwise she was all right.

Success of Plan Endangered.  
Milwaukee Sentinel: The scheme is so big that Madison has been taken by surprise and unfortunately the prospect of successfully carrying it out have been endangered by the premature disclosure of the plan. A few members only of the legislature were in possession of facts covering the attempt made to secure options upon property to enlarge the capital park so that it might furnish adequate grounds for the new state house.

"A Mixed Up Mess."  
Kenosha Telegraph-Courier: For a measure on which so much time, thought and hot air was expended, the primary election law is one of the most mixed up messes that ever got on the statute books of any state, but such as it is, the people voted for it, and the legislature should let the law alone, until it has been given a fair trial. The people will indicate clearly enough what changes they want made as soon as they have made up their minds.

Thinks It Has the Reason.  
Chicago Chronicle: Discouragement is the dominant note in a good many religious bodies nowadays. It is declared that the people are falling away from the churches and the defection is deemed inexplicable. Is it not easily explained, however? Of half a dozen sermons reported in last Monday's newspapers not one dealt with the doctrine of the Christian religion. They treated of any topic but that. Is it not possible that if Christian preachers were to return to teaching Christianity the churches would be better attended once more?

Suspicious of Grassie.  
Geo. Grassie in the Evening Wisconsin: Ab, a sudden thought. La Follette, Esch, Ekern. Raus mit Spooner. La Follette is grooming Esch for Spooner's place. He loaned him a little of his own thunder in that railroad service bill. It will be known as the Esch bill—perhaps the Esch-La Follette bill, or the La Follette-Esch bill. Esch was a candidate for the United States senate two years ago—he was a candidate again. Bob will back him for the place. Then Ekern will run for congress in Esch's place. Raus mit Spooner.

And how about Cooper of Racine and Jenkins and Davidson and W. D. O'Connor and all the others who have their lightning rods up for the senatorial electrical disturbance. Raus mit the whole bunch of them. La Follette, Esch, Ekern.

And Dr. Miller of La Crosse has been drumming that into my ears for a week and I never caught the force of it until I read the Sunday papers. He says that Spooner will never be elected, that Esch may be and that in that event Ekern is the logical man for congress from the Seventh. Ekern is a friend of La Follette. Can it be that there is an offensive alliance—La Follette, Esch, Ekern?

Now I wonder if there can really be anything to that. I'm sure I don't know. But in the immortal words of Abraham Lincoln and Peter Dunne, "La Follette for President." That's the moral.

A Joyous Discovery.  
Milwaukee Sentinel: To the practical and slightly sceptical mind of the ordinary business man, there will be a pleasing uncertainty whether the recent announcement of Prof. Clinton McKie of Kansas is the bona fide publication of a great archaeological fact or is merely another plan of the resourceful and conscienceless real estate man to put Yazoo City, Miss., on the map.

For Prof. McKie has risen in his place and with due gravity has given forth to the world the tidings that within a few miles of Yazoo City is the site of the original garden of Eden, the same joyous spot where our first progenitors were installed and whence they were subsequently expelled for displaying an investigative turn of mind.

Mr. McKie of Kansas also furnishes the interesting information that the person who will dig with sufficient perseverance in the vicinity of Yazoo City will be rewarded by turning up a temple with solid gold doors and other valuable appurtenances which will make the excavating well worth while. For he inclines to the belief that hereabouts is located the ancient city of Poseidon which was destroyed in some manner, unexplained by the professor, but doubtless clear enough to an astrologer, by a conjunction of Mercury, Venus, Mars, and Jupiter. This sad event took place, we are advised, in the year 1556 of the world's history, or 4,235 years ago last November.

Snails at Naming of Norcross.  
Madison Journal: Walter Houser's sensitive soul is shocked because Gov. Davidson appointed Pliny Norcross a member of the board of regents of the university, and Walter's Mondovi Herald records the shock. This man Norcross was a stalwart, exclaims Walter, and a La Follette hater! Bless us, but this is serious! If we were not afraid of another outburst we should ask Walter what he proposes to do about it.

When Walter gets calm enough to think consecutively we would suggest the following thoughts as soothing notions to be applied in the order to his outraged feelings. He will find that they may quiet his spasms even

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Each one of us is bound to make the little circle in which he lives better and happier; each of us is bound to see that out of that small circle the widest good may flow; each of us may have fixed in his mind the thought that out of a single household may flow influences which shall stimulate the whole commonwealth and the whole civilized world.—Dean Stanley.

Cigarette Wins in the East.  
Says a writer in the Peking and Tientsin Times: "The cigarette has caught the popular favor in the east and far east, being a smoke, seemingly peculiarly adaptable to Asiatics. The long-stemmed pipe is giving way everywhere to the cigarette."

Reason Alone Supreme.  
Great attachments, make one accomplish dazzling deeds easily, but they do not change temperament; reason alone controls behavior.—Madame de Genlis.

## TWO BIG FEATURES IN THE RAMBLER



First you look for quality, then you look at the price and it is a rare combination which enables you to find the HIGHEST QUALITY at the MOST MODERATE PRICE. The RAMBLER embodies both features.

Where will you find (and you can look anywhere, everywhere, the closer the investigation the better) a family touring car that can be driven by any member of the family, so powerful, so speedy, so economical, so comfortable (room for 5 people easily), as Model 21, 22 horse power double opposed almost noiseless motor. Of new and exceedingly strong design—large 4-inch tires the body can be instantly tilted to give free access to the engine, etc. The detachable tonneau is a splendid feature and the joints cannot be seen except by the very closest inspection. Price, complete with lamps.....\$1350

To get the full season's enjoyment from a car one should order at once. Complete line of 2 and 4 cylinder, 1907 models here. Touring cars and runabouts for you to see and ride in. Telephone or come and see me.

## HARRY M. VALE, 926 Broad St. Beloit, Wis.

More Ramblers in Rock county than any other make.

## Bandicide

is a scalp medicine, not merely a hair beautifier. It rids the scalp of that dangerous hair enemy—dandruff—and allows nature to carry its purpose unimpeded. Your own specialist will endorse the properties in "Bandicide." A scalp cure in a single bottle.

"Bandicide" Sells 750,000 25c and 50c THE BOTTLE

H. E. RANOUS & CO., Janesville.



**"ALWAYS BUSY."**

Recently one of Dr. Richards' patients caught sight of his daily appointment book which showed that almost every working hour of his time for weeks and weeks back had been filled to the limit.

The office reception room outside was also full of waiting patients.

The party mentioned that things looked pretty busy around there.

"Yes," said Dr. Richards, "they do."

"But no more today than it always is with me nowadays."

"Well, you ought to be busy," replied the party. "Any man who makes the effort to do his work deserves the support of the public."

And there's truth in that statement.

"People appreciate the efforts of a man who endeavors to alleviate their sufferings."

They often enter his office as white as a sheet.

Fear deprives them of power to control their nerves and

Some actually scream before they get in his operating chair.

But under his considerate care they soon find their fears groundless, and depart with a different opinion of one dentist at least.

"Once a patient of Dr. Richards, always a patient," is the usual outcome when people put aside their prejudices and are fair minded.

Simply because

"He delivers the goods."

Office over Hall & Sayles' Jewelry Store.

**Cleaners & Dyers**

**Ladies Waists, fine Dresses and Spring Jackets Chemically Dry Cleaned.**

**Janesville Steam Dye House**  
Carl F. Brockhaus, Prop.  
59 East Milwaukee St.

**"The Model" Barber Shop**

Our facial massages clear up the complexion and leave the skin soft and velvety.

**M. J. BRENNAN, Prop.**

Established 1855

**First National Bank**

Capital \$125,000  
Surplus & Profits \$110,000

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Janesville families prefer pure, clean Pasteurized Milk and Cream put up in sterilized bottles under the most sanitary conditions. We serve 1200 families daily.

Can you afford to run unnecessary chances of contagion? Pasteurized Milk costs no more than the ordinary sort. Telephone us.

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Gridley & Craft, Props.

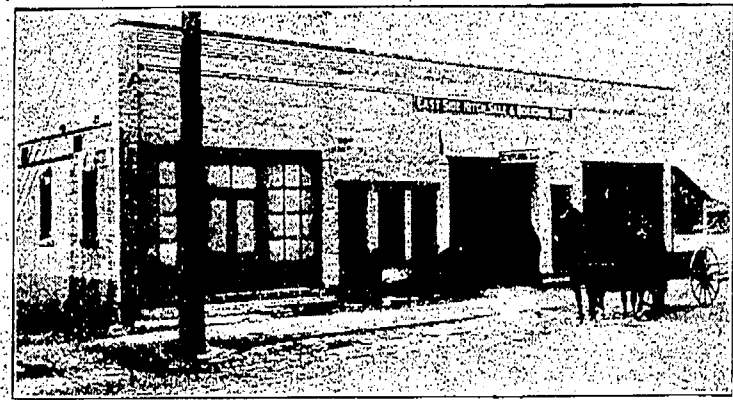
**HUNDRED HORSES CHANGED HANDS**

**FARMERS AND BUYERS THROGGLED EAST SIDE HITCH STABLE.**

**FIRST MONTHLY SALE TODAY**

Success of Event Assures Continuation—Fully Two Hundred Animals Were Shown.

At the East Side Hitch Stable on North Bluff street today was held a very successful horse sale. There was a large display of animals and hundreds of buyers were on hand. Many deals were effected and good prices were secured. The event was the first of a regular monthly series and its success assures the continuation. C. F. Mathias, proprietor of the stable, said that a similar sale



EAST SIDE HITCH STABLE, WHERE HORSE SALE WAS HELD TODAY

would be conducted on the last Thursday of every month from now on.

Buyers from far and wide assembled at the stable at an early hour this morning. The crowd continued to increase until the middle of the afternoon and its size was most gratifying to the promoters of the sale.

Farmers, dealers and businessmen came from farms within a radius of fifteen miles and all the surrounding towns including Evansville, Brodhead, Beloit, Milton, Milton Junction, Edgerton and Clinton. Representatives of Levi Bros., the noted Chicago horse merchants, and buyers from other concerns in the Windy City and Milwaukee were also on the scene.

Selling commenced early. Horses began to change hands as early as eight o'clock and all through the day there was sharp competition, salesmen vying with each other in making offers and buyers bidding against each other. There were fully two hundred horses on exhibition and at least one hundred were sold. The horses were all farm animals and drivers and prices ranged from fifty dollars to two hundred and twenty-five.

**DECIDING BATTLE TO BE PLAYED HERE**

For Third Time Janesville and Rockford Y. M. C. A.'s Will Meet Saturday.

In the gymnasium of the local Association building at half-past seven o'clock Saturday evening the Rockford and Janesville Y. M. C. A. basketball teams will line up. The contest is the third and last in a series and is to decide the winner for both sides have so far secured a game. The Bower City boys won in the first game, which was played here, and lost in the second, which occurred at Rockford. The home team will have the advantage of being on their own floor Saturday evening, but the Forest City team, having already played here, will not be on an entirely strange field.

**FULL TRAIN OF ICE RECEIVED IN CITY**

North-Western Company, Storing Three Hundred Tons, Carried Here in Sixty Gondolas.

A full train of ice arrived here over the North-Western road this morning and is now being stored in the local icehouse of that company. The product was cut and loaded at Crystal Lake, Ill., and is to be used for repacking refrigerator cars during the coming year. The train was composed of sixty gondolas, each holding about fifty tons of ice, making a total weight of three hundred tons. Engineer F. A. Barter and Conductor Harry Parry were in charge.

The Theatre Candy Kitchen. The Theatre Candy Kitchen is the name given the new candy store recently opened at 70 East Milwaukee street by Namier & Sofady. The location is next to the Myers theatre and a high-grade stock of home-made candies, the finest in the city, will be carried at all times. Both gentlemen are experienced in the business and are expert candy-makers. The public is invited to call.

Big Monument Stock. One of the unusual pieces of stone is what is known as the Westerner. It is a large block of granite, quarried beneath the water at Westerner, R. I. The grain is very fine and permits of a very high polish. We have one of these stones together with a great many very fine monuments of the better grades of granite, the largest stock ever shown in southern Wisconsin. You can select a monument now, have it lettered and arrange payment to suit.

TO THE VOTERS. I desire to announce my candidacy for the republican nomination for alderman in the Second ward at the coming primaries. F. H. SNYDER.

**THE WEATHER**

The weather for the last 24 hours as taken from Heimstreet's U. S. registered thermometer is as follows: 7 a. m., 30; 3 p. m., 38; highest, 38; lowest, 28; wind, south; partly cloudy.

**PERSONAL MENTION.**

Miss Dessa Franchi of Chicago is the guest of Miss Edna Murdock for a few days.

A. W. Allen, western representative of the Gazette with offices in the Tribune Bldg., Chicago, was in the city yesterday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur S. Wright of Milwaukee spent Wednesday visiting in the city.

C. L. Peterson is in Milwaukee. Grant Fisher is a Milwaukee visitor. County Commissioner James Dalton of Marcus, Iowa, is the guest of his brother, Thomas Dalton.

Mrs. Della Dee has disposed of her property at 51 Terrace street and is moving her household effects to Ft. Atkinson, where she will in the future reside.

Division Supt. Frank R. Pechin of the C. & N. W. railroad was in the city yesterday. Charles Stanton has sold his interests in the Riverside laundry to Charles Myhr.

Mr. A. J. Ingersoll is dangerously ill at home, 152 S. Jackson street.

**FOUND DEAD IN WRETCHED HOVEL**

MISS CHARLOTTE VAN ANTWERP OF BELOIT, CAME TO LONELY END.

**FORMER JANESVILLE WOMAN**

Appearance of Face Indicates That She Expired at Least Two Days Ago.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.] Beloit, Wis., Feb. 28.—Miss Charlotte Van Antwerp, aged sixty-eight, who had resided in Rock county for the past half century and at one time lived in Janesville, was this morning found dead in a miserable hovel on the outskirts of the city. The appearance of the face indicates that life has been extinct for some time and as she was last seen Monday it is supposed she expired at least two days ago. It is believed by the police that heart trouble caused the end, but neighbors suspect foul play and a coroner's jury was impaneled today. The jurors viewed the remains and surroundings this morning, and the inquest has been scheduled for Saturday.

Body in Peculiar Place. Miss Van Antwerp was never married and of late years has had nothing to do with her relatives. Mrs. E. E. Sage of 543 E. Chicago avenue is a niece. Mrs. Frances Van Antwerp of 410 Highland avenue is a sister-in-law and Frank Van Antwerp of Dakota a brother. Miss Van Antwerp lived in a small shack at 744 Garfield avenue, a street in the west end of the city. She scarcely knew her neighbors, but occasionally visited Mrs. Sarah Wooster, who resided on the same street. As Mrs. Wooster had seen nothing of Miss Van Antwerp during the past few days she went to call this morning. There was no response to her knock and she pushed the door open. The shanty's interior was cold and damp and on turning about Mrs. Wooster discovered the dead form of Miss Van Antwerp. The corpse lay with the head wedged between the floor and the wall and this peculiar position aroused the finder's suspicions.

Certificate of Deposit Found. As there were no marks on the remains to indicate foul play and nothing is known to be missing from the premises it is generally conceded that the investigating jury will return a verdict of death from heart failure. A certificate of deposit on one of the

**Sealshipt Oysters.**

Fresh Fish.  
Skinned and dressed Perch 10c lb.  
Silver Herring 8c lb.  
Halibut and Salmon Steak 15c lb.  
Trout 12½c lb.

**DEDRICK BROS.****Father Sill**

O. H. C., preaches at

**TRINITY CHURCH**

7:30

**TONIGHT.****COME.****10 Per Cent of the 17,000,000 School Children and Students**

are injuring their health by not using

**GLASSES**

The "nervous" backward or "stupid" pupil is usually so from not wearing glasses. Have you noticed how your own boy or girl is getting on in school? Let us examine the child's eyes—no expense to you. Our optician examines each and every case himself, trusting none to an understudy.

**HALL & SAYLES**

local banks was found and is doubtless some money which Miss Van Antwerp secured from the recent sale of her "little home" and another lot. She had intended to leave Beloit next week for either Oklahoma or California. The woman's home was a wretched, weatherbeaten shack. The walls were neither plastered or lathed and the principal articles within were a dilapidated stove in one corner and a pile of soft coal in the other.

**MORTUARY MENTION.**

Sad News From Hungary. David Markovitz has received from his old home in Hungary sad tidings of the death of his mother whom he had not seen since he left that country eighteen years ago. His father and a younger brother who still live in the old country, and another brother who is located in Chicago, are left to mourn her loss.

Robert Hessian. After a seven weeks' illness with appendicitis Robert Hessian died yesterday afternoon at half past four o'clock at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Hessian. Mr. Hessian was but twenty-three years of age and his demise is mourned by many. A father, mother, three brothers and three sisters survive him. The funeral will be held from St. Patrick's church at nine o'clock Saturday morning.

Elbridge G. Fifield. Funeral services over the remains of the late Elbridge G. Fifield will be held from his residence on North Jackson street, Friday afternoon at two o'clock. Burial will be in Oak Hill.

**BRIEF LOCAL NEWS.**

The Art League will meet at the home of Miss Echlin, 405 Court St., Friday afternoon, March 1, at three o'clock.

Circle No. 8 will meet at the home of Mrs. Horwood on Friday, March 1, at 2:30. Mrs. E. E. Loomis, Secy.

TO THE VOTERS. I desire to announce I am a candidate for the nomination for city clerk on the republican ticket at the primaries to be held March 19. LOUIS N. SKAVLEM.

There is nothing more pleasing to a lady for her dining table than fine

**CUT GLASS**

I am selling the best qualities at very low prices. It is worth your time to see my stock of Cut Glass and the prices.

**O. H. PYPER**

"THE JEWELER."

58 W. Milwaukee St.

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**NASH**

Fresh Fish, Order Early. Fresh caught Halibut Steak a luxury. Fresh caught Herring. Fresh caught Small Trout. Wall Eyed Pike. Solid Meat Bulk Oysters. Salt Salmon, Norway Herring and Irish Mackerel. Dinner Bell Salmon 15c, 2 for 25c.

Dill Pickles 10c doz. Large Sweet Pickles 10c doz. Midget Sweet Pickles 25c qt. Corner Stone, the best Patent Flour on Earth, \$1.15. Monsoon Pat. Flour \$1 sack. Albany Graham and Buckwheat.

Home Made Cake, Doughnuts, Cookies and Bread. The Finest Olive Oil Imported; get the best. Swift's Jersey Butterine 12½c lb.

Swift's Premium Butterine 18c.

Old Style Steel Cut Oatmeal. Old Fashioned Hominy. Atlas Reliable Baking Powder 18c.

H. G. Lettuce. 126 Size Oranges 30c doz. At their best.

Strictly Fresh Eggs 25c. Force Breakfast Food 5c. Fancy Yellow Onions 20c pk.

Hickory Nuts 10c Qt. Fancy Shelled Walnuts 35c lb.

Puffed Rice. Home Rendered Lard 14c lb. Home Made Sausage 12½c lb. Geese and Chicken.

Square Deal Plug Tobacco 25c lb. 6 Express Toilet Paper 25c. 8 Lenox Soap 25c. 7 Santa Claus Soap 25c.

**Groceries and Meat.****NASH****NEW OFFICERS OF LADIES OF GLOBE**

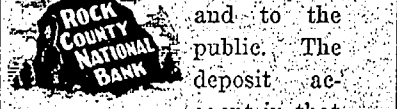
Mrs. Sarah Cochran is Supreme Judge of Clara Barton Garrison, No. 6.

Clara Barton Garrison, No. 6, Eminent Ladies of the Knights of the Globe, installed the following officers for the ensuing term at the meeting last evening: Mrs. Sarah Cochran, Supreme Judge; Miss Margaret Gregg, Judge; Mrs. Rhoda Pelton, President; Mrs. Nellie Williams, V. President; Miss Alena Fish, Commander; Mrs. Johanna Phelps, 2nd Commander; Mrs. Mary Marcus, Ensign; Mrs. William Hearn, Provost Marshal; Mrs. Staton, Adjutant; Mrs. Susan Rutter, Quartermaster; Mrs. Martha Gregg, Guard.

Sold Valuable Team: C. F. Mathias, proprietor of the East Side Hitch Stable, sold his black draft team yesterday to an eastern buyer. The horses weigh 3,300 pounds, are well matched and brought \$500.

John Timmons, a well known farmer living south of the city was the lucky winner of the \$30 graphophone which was given away by the Columbia Phonograph Co. at Baker's Drug store last night.

The rapid growth of this bank during the past year is gratifying to its management and to the public. The deposit account in that



time has increased about \$200,000, a gain of 40 per cent or an average of \$650 for every business day. The total resources have touched the highest figure in the history of the bank, \$900,000, and the capital surplus and undivided profits are now \$177,000—\$10,000 more than they were a year ago.

**WEST SIDE THEATRE ROLLER SKATING**

Monday, Wednesday, Friday and Saturday Nights and Every Afternoon.

**COUNTRY HOME**

FOR SALE.

Forty acres of the Woodruff farm, located 1½ miles northwest of Janesville post-office. Large modern house and barn. Buildings cost \$25,000. Elegant view. Good tobacco land. Price, \$12,500. More land if desired.

Fifty-eight acres on Magnolia Ave. Good six-room house, large barn, well and windmill. Rich land, desirable location. Price, \$7,600.

**INQUIRE OF**

**GEO. WOODRUFF,** Janesville, Wis.

**THE AFTER TASTE**

That pure sweet satisfaction in the Pappas candy, the delicious aftertaste of each piece as it melts in your mouth is a sure demonstration of PURITY. The aftertaste of cheaply made glucose candy is unmistakable. Pure ingredients cost more but they pay best in the long run. Sample our pure candy.

**N. PAPPAS' Candy Palace.** The House of Quality. 19 N. Mill St., Jackson Bldg.

**Strictly Fresh Eggs 25c doz.**

Dinner Bell Salmon 12c.

6 can Oil Sardines 25c.

Smoked Herring 15c box.

Salt Mackerel 12½c lb.

Golden Palace Flour, best flour made, every sack guaranteed, \$1.15 sack.

**E. R. WINSLOW**

20 North Main St.

**FAIR STORE. CLOTHING**

75c Men's Black Satteen Shirts at 59c.  
Men's Black and White Work Shirts, Janesville make, at 50c.  
Men's Light Colored Negligee Shirts with separate collar, at 50c.  
Men's Blue Apron Overalls, well made, at 50c, 60c and 75c.  
Men's Jackets in blue, checked or striped, at 50c, 60c and 75c.  
Men's Cottonade Work Pants, good weight and dark colors, special values, at 99c and \$1.25.  
\$1.25 Men's Blue Flannel Shirts, at 98c.  
Men's Brown Duck Coats, flannel lined, \$1.75 value at \$1.25.  
\$1.25 Black Wool Sweaters at 89c.  
50c Men's Corduroy Caps, at 25c.  
Men's Muleskin Mittens, flannel lined, at 23c.  
Men's Calf Face Mittens, knit wrist, warm lined, at 45c.



WHEN COLD WEATHER COMES. Be sure that your bins are filled with "Economy Coal." If you want hot, clean fires and are willing to dispense with clinkers and coal that won't burn. The best coal for stoves, ranges and furnaces.

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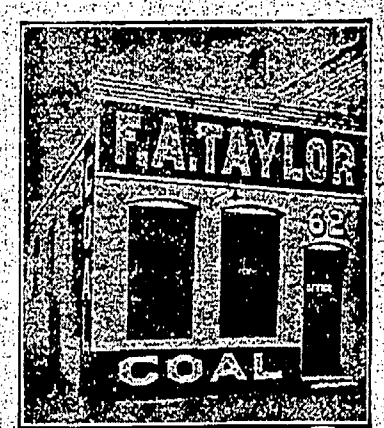
Order Office: Riverside Laundry

**DO YOU WANT Some No. 1****Oat Straw**

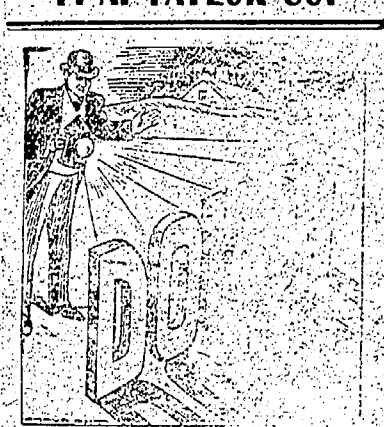
For feeding? We are just receiving some that is very nice and will make special low price on ton or half ton lots if ordered before we pack it away in our warehouse.

**F. H. GREEN & SON**

43 N. Main St. Both phones.

**Cedar Valley Egg**

is a special preparation for kitchen stoves; Bright and Clean—makes quick fires, and sells for \$5.50 per ton. Sold exclusively by F. A. TAYLOR CO.



BEYOND THE SHADOW OF A DOUBT

there is no light or fuel that is used in the modern home that is as satisfactory for all around economy and excellence as gas. It is the housewife's comfort and economy of labor in the kitchen. It is clean and economical in your rooms for heating, and is the light par excellence for the house.

**NEW GAS LIGHT CO.****VICTORY****Fancy Patent Flour**

A bread maker of pronounced superiority—a baking accessory of the most satisfactory sort. Flour troubles end with VICTORY. Ask your grocer for it, and insist on having it. Wholesale and Retail Dealers.

Bran, Middlings, Corn, Oats, Salt, Hay.

**NEW RICHMOND ROLLER MILLS CO.**

Janesville Branch Elevator near St. Paul Passenger Depot. GEO. CAWTHORNE, Mgr. Both Telephones.











# THE GREAT ANNUAL MARCH CLEARING SALE OF FURNITURE

Begins, As Usual, Tomorrow, March 1st, and Continues During the Entire Month

It is the one Furniture Sale of Southern Wisconsin each year, and includes all goods now in stock, together with all goods received during the month. It means the selling of a large quantity of furniture at very low prices, to make room for new goods arriving every day.



In our stock are three lines of goods of which we have exclusive sale, each being the best and from the largest factories in the world. They are the **Heywood Bros.' Go-Carts, Stearns & Foster Felt Mattresses, and the Royal Chair Co. Morris Chairs.**

## OUR 1907 LINE OF GO-CARTS

are mostly here and is complete—from the best English Coach to the cheapest folding cart.

## OUR FELT MATTRESS STOCK

is the largest and most complete ever shown in Janesville, and range in price from \$7.00 to \$20.00 each. This line of mattresses is without an equal in quality and price, and we can prove it to you if you will but investigate.



## The "Push Button" Morris Chairs

we sell are in a class by themselves, as there is nothing like them, nor quite as good, made. The workmanship and finish are perfect and we have them in velour, plush and leather.



During the holiday season, too late for our Christmas trade, we received a large number of KITCHEN CABINETS, which we offer during the first week in March AT COST. They are not the highest priced cabinets made, but are a moderate priced, well made and well finished cabinet. Each one is a big bargain.

## OUR DINING ROOM FURNITURE

including Chairs, Sideboards and Tables, is complete. We have the Hanson Furniture Co.'s Dining Tables exclusively, and their pillar table is without an equal. We have a "close out" Library Table, made by the Hanson Furniture Co. It is solid quarter sawed oak, full French legs, good sized drawer, well made and nicely finished golden oak, and offered at \$8.00 each.

Remember, we sell nothing we do not guarantee to give perfect satisfaction. Come and see the goods now and make selections while the stock is complete.

FURNITURE

**W. H. ASHCRAFT**

UNDERTAKING

56 West Milwaukee Street,

JANESVILLE, WISCONSIN

But you must see the inside, too! That's the only way to judge a mattress. We'll show you the inside of

**THE STEARNS & FOSTER MATTRESS**

(Our name proves it's genuine. Look for it.)

—the very mattress you buy. No hand-made mattresses are made. Come in and see them. We sell on sixty nights' trial, money back if dissatisfied. Not a luxury, but a necessity in all households.

W. H. ASHCRAFT

## BORT, BAILEY & CO.

NEW

## COTTON WASH GOODS

More and more, February and March are growing to be summer dressmaking months of the year. Women who love exclusive, rare designs of cottons know that they are shown then. This word to say—that we are ready with the prettiest colorings, the daintiest textures imaginable.

**This Tissue Lorraine**, for instance. It comes labeled "lingerie finish." The minute you put your hand on it you know why. Then the colors are lovely; barred or plaided. **18c a yard.**

**Shadow Printed Silk** is colored in the same way that a La France rose is pink—shadow tints, as it were. Some times the shadows suggest stripes; often it is flowered. **50c a yard.**

**French Organdies** are pretty beyond description. **25c a yard.**

**Silk Tissues** are among the very recent new-comers. As welcome and pretty as May flowers. **25c a yard.**

**25c a yard Crepe Chiffon** in dainty floral effects. Are beautiful enough to lose one's head loving.

**There Are Less Expensive Stuff, Too.**

**Silvan Batiste**, 15c a yard.

**Ormonde Batiste**—dots, stripes and flowered, 12½c a yard.

And many more pretty things than there's room to tell of.

BORT, BAILEY & CO.

### BITS OF NEWS.

Six rurales were murdered in their sleep by Enrique Chaves, the notorious Mexican bandit.

The municipality of St. Petersburg decided to open 18 meat markets where the poor may buy meat at cost.

T. M. Taylor, professor of chemistry in the Carnegie schools of Pittsburgh, committed suicide while under nervous collapse.

The plant of the old Vincennes Distilling company at Vincennes, Ind., was partly destroyed by fire. The loss is estimated at \$150,000.

Mme. Robineau, said to have been the oldest person in Paris, is dead. She was born in 1800 and had been ill but twice in her life.

Baron Charles V. Benedetti of Florence, Italy, and Miss Jeanette Locke, a grand opera singer of Lexington, Ky., were married in New York.

James W. Conner, president of the New Louisiana Jockey club and prominent in St. Louis cotton and stock exchange circles for years, died following an operation for intestinal trouble.

During a heavy fog an accommodation train on the Wabash railroad and a freight train came into collision near Mexico, Mo., resulting in the death of the passenger engineer and injury to 20 others.

**TROLLEY LINES ARE BEATEN.**

Have No Right of Eminent Domain in Minnesota.

Minneapolis, Minn., Feb. 28.—The electric trolley lines of the state of Minnesota have no right of eminent domain, according to one of the most important and far-reaching decisions ever rendered, handed down by the district court of this state Wednesday by a full bench.

The case was that of the Minneapolis & St. Paul Suburban Street Railway company against the village of Excelsior, a summer resort 20 miles west of this city, for the purpose of testing the right to condemn property for a right of way.

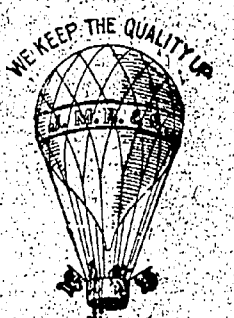
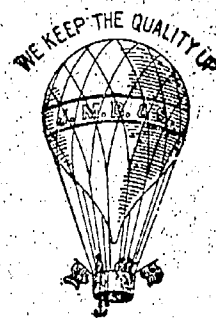
St. Louis Detectives Accused. St. Louis, Feb. 28.—On charges of having protected thieves and of receiving money and other valuable gifts in recognition of the alleged protection, Assistant Chief of Detectives John Keely, and Detectives Michael Cremin, A. H. Dolley, H. P. McQuellan, D. J. McGrath and John McCarthy, and Special Officer Tom Mahon were suspended Wednesday pending trial.

Monument to Ovid. A monument is about to be erected to the poet Ovid at Sulmona, the ancient Sulmo of Samnium, a movement for the purpose having been set on foot by the Italian poet, Gabriele d'Annunzio.

Read the want ads.

## J. M. BOSTWICK & SONS.

The New SUITS,  
SKIRTS,  
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We were never better prepared to supply almost any reasonable demand for . . .

## Ready-to-Wear Garments

The new styles for **early spring** are **here**, and you are invited to call and become acquainted with them.

We placed orders **early**, at **low prices**, and are in a position to give you a good "run" for your money.

**Janesville's Greatest Showing at THE BIG STORE.**

